WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. In the process of preparing a branched (co)polycarbonate resin the improvement comprising reacting at least one member selected from the group consisting of compounds of the formulae 1a and/or 1b

$$R^4$$
 R^4
 R^4

in which

 R^1 , R^2 and R^3 independently denote linear or branched C_1 - C_{10} -alkyl, R^4 and R^5 independently denote hydrogen or linear or branched C_1 - C_{10} -alkyl, p_1 and p_2 independently of one another denote a whole number between 3 and 10,

2. In the phase interface process for the production of (co)polycarbonate resin the improvement comprising reacting at least one member selected from the group consisting of compounds of the formulae 1a and 1b

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$$R^4$$
 R^4
 R^4

- 3. The (co)polycarbonate prepared by the process of Claim 1.
- 4. The (co)polycarbonate prepared by the process of Claim 3.
- 5. A molded article comprising the polycarbonate of Claim 4.
- 10 6. A molded article comprising the polycarbonate of Claim 5.